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Sir:

This application is a:

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The undersigned has been authorized by the Applicant(s),

Tomohiro SHINODA

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to file the attached specification and required drawings. Please assign a serial number and accord a filing date to this prospective application.

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Enclosed are:

- 23 pages of Specification,
3 page(s) of Claims,
1 page of an Abstract, and
7 sheets of Drawings. Total pages in the disclosure are 34
X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).
X Application Data Sheet
X Newly executed Oath or Declaration with Power of Attorney
 ___ Signed Statement deleting inventor(s) named in prior application.
 ___ Applicant claims Small Entity status under 37 CFR §1.27.
X Assignment of the Invention and \$40.00.
X A certified copy of Priority Document.
 ___ A Preliminary Amendment.
 ___ Letter to the Official Draftsperson and amended drawing(s).
 ___ An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO Form 1449.
X The basic filing fee of \$770.00.
X The fees for the claims to be calculated as follows:

Claims Presented		Less Entitlement		Additional Fees			
				Small Entity		Large Entity	
Total	14	Minus	20	x \$9=	0.00	x \$18=	0.00
Indep.	3	Minus	3	x \$43=	0.00	x \$86=	0.00
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X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to my Deposit Account No. 19-2816 any fees required under any of 37 CFR §§1.16 to 1.17 at any time during the pendency of this application.



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